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## Two Fatalities at Hillcrest

During the past couple of weeks two accidents occurred in the mines at Hillcrest with fatal results. The first happened on October 24th, by which a miner named Albert Nycama met death by being struck by a trip of coal being released through the breaking of a rope. The other occurred on November 3rd, when a miner named Fred Iwanick met death in No. 2 chute of No. 1 north mine by being buried beneath a cave-in of coal and rock. Nycama died on November 2nd.

Inquests were held before Coroner Pinkney in connection with both accidents. Inquest into the latter was held on November 2nd and adjourned to Nov. 7th at 10 a.m. There were present Inspector Shaw, of Blairmore; H. Ostlund, of Lethbridge, miners' solicitor; Mike Farley, of Hillcrest, as interpreter. The following witnesses were examined: John Ironmonger, Joe McMillin, Dr. A. Ross, Fred Kuryluk, John Wanyelchuk, Harry Boychuk (of Russburg), Frank Bondar, Percy Hart and R. T. Stewart. After hearing the evidence and summing up, the jury returned the following verdict: through their foreman, William McFegan: "That Fred Iwanick met his death

on November 2nd in No. 2 chute of No. 1 north mine, by a cave-in of coal and rock, and that death was accidental.

"Hence—Recommend that in work of this nature substantial batteries be erected."

Jury—W. McFegan, foreman; Arthur Wyatt, Isaac Rea, Roderick McDonald, Arnold Martell, Albert Haman.

Inquest into the death of Albert Nycama was held on November 3rd, the following jury being impaneled: Louis Weisgerber, foreman; Charles Fuchs, Benjamin Carter, John Mansell, Abraham Brown, Joseph F. Breiler. The following verdict was returned—

"That Albert Nycama came to his death as a result of an accident which occurred in Slope No. 2 of the Hillcrest Collieries mine on October 24th, by being struck by a trip released through the breaking of the rope in the socket."

"We recommend that the track in No. 2 slope be properly graded and rollers be placed as to protect the rope."

Nycama died in the Hillcrest hospital on November 3rd, after having one of his legs amputated.

It is singular that two years ago November 21st, a very similar double tragedy occurred at Hillcrest.

## "Ten Nights In a Bar Room"

Announcement is made today by the management of the Coleman Opera House that the big road production of T. S. Arthur's "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" will be produced here on Wednesday, November 15.

This play, long ago having achieved the pinnacle of success, laid aside to make room for more up-to-date and less substantial at a place is revived in a bigger and broader scope. The effect of the lessons it taught 25 years ago are being felt today. As a unit in the vast array of influences moulding reform over the whole world, this play returns as the harvest of its teaching are being reaped.

All the melodramatic situations of the original plot have been preserved. The characters of Mr. Arthur's novel, made famous for their years of portraiture will again be seen here and acquaintances of years past will be renewed when the great standard of drama is shown.

All who have passed the years of youth have seen "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," but there are among the younger generation some who have, through lack of opportunity, missed it. They, like the older ones cannot fail to take from the great temperance production, a lesson which will last through all the years of their lives.

## Blairmore Soldier Returns

Pte William Archer returned to Blairmore by Tuesday morning's train, having joined the Crow train at Medicine Hat, leaving the other returned veterans to continue on to Calgary. Private Archer's return so soon was rather unexpected. Private Archer enlisted last year with the 13th O.M.R. and was sent forward with a draft of engineers. Shortly after crossing from England into France, Private Archer was stricken with paralysis while in the trenches, and the plague became so severe that a return to hospital and then to England was necessitated.

Private Archer was in the trench next to that in which Sapper Arnold Heywood lost his life.

Shortly after Mr. Archer's arrival here, he was visited by a deputation from the local branch of the Returned Soldiers' Bureau.

Private Archer has received an honorable discharge, being considered as medically unfit for service.

It is officially announced that Lieut.-General Bryan T. Mahon, commander of the British forces on the western frontier in Egypt, has been appointed to succeed Maj.-General Sir John Maxwell as commander of the British forces in Ireland. General Maxwell is appointed commander-in-chief of the northern command in England.



## Public Notice

SITTINGS OF THE DISTRICT COURT will be held within the Judicial District of Meech on the dates and at the places following during the year 1917:—

**MACLEOD—**  
Convening—  
Tuesday, January 16th  
Tuesday, February 13th  
Tuesday, March 13th  
Tuesday, April 17th  
Tuesday, May 22nd  
Tuesday, June 12th  
Tuesday, September 25th  
Tuesday, October 23rd  
Tuesday, November 20th  
Tuesday, December 4th  
**PINCHER CREEK—**  
Thursday, February 15th  
Thursday, June 7th  
Thursday, October 4th  
Thursday, December 6th  
**NANTON—**  
Thursday, April 12th  
Thursday, November 15th  
**BLAIRMORE—**  
Wednesday, February 22nd  
Wednesday, May 30th  
Wednesday, October 17th  
Wednesday, November 29th  
**COLEMAN—**  
Thursday, May 31st  
Thursday, October 18th  
**CLAREHOLM—**  
Thursday, February 8th  
Thursday, May 17th  
Thursday, October 11th  
Thursday, December 13th  
**DATRIE** at Edmonton, Alberta, this First day of November, 1916.  
A. G. BROWNING,  
Deputy Attorney General.

November 10th and Gun contains a list of good things for the Sportsman reader. "Budd" by Jean Stevenson, tells of a narrow escape from a pack of pursuing wolves. "Mouse Meat for Morrison's Mine" describes an adventure with a too zealous informer. "Highways of the North" pictures the beauties of some of our most northern rivers and describes their methods of transportation. "Hunting Big Game in the Selkirk" is a story of billy goats and bear in B.C. "Bear Hunting Where Old Louis Lives" is a tale of Northern Quebec. "The Gravel in The Barn" is a story of the adventures of a weasel family. There are besides other stories and articles just as interesting as those mentioned, and in addition the regular departments. The magazine is published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont. and is a worthy exponent of Canadian outdoor life.

In the first two days of the new Italian offensive the Austrians lost 39,000 men. The losses are said to have been distributed as follows: Killed 10,000, wounded 20,000, taken prisoner 9,000.

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Despite the growth of the prohibition movement in Canada, there seems to be as much spirits as ever consumed in the Dominion. The inland revenue statement for September shows a total revenue of \$2,123,812 as against \$1,950,109 for the same month of a year ago, an increase of \$173,703.

At the general meeting of the local branch of the Red Cross Society, held on Tuesday, \$200 was voted to the Calgary branch for medical supplies. The society is growing in numbers, twelve new members being added to the roll recently. Now is the time to pay your subscription.



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Blairmore, Alta., Fri., Nov. 10, 1916

## Closer Season For Bird Game

Alberta's population of prairie chick-  
ens and partridges is away below par this  
year. There has been, it is estimated, a  
reduction of nearly ninety per cent in  
the past three years, and the decline in  
the game bird crop is becoming so serious  
that an effort is likely to be made to  
secure legislation in the matter at the  
next sitting of the house. It is expected  
that amendments to the game act will be  
asked for, providing for a shortening of  
the open season, and possibly for some  
further restrictions, by which the wild  
fowl of the province will have better  
protection.

Game is scarce, too, and are becoming  
fewer every year. Sportsmen who have  
been out in the country, have been  
bringing back much smaller bags than  
used to be, and they are telling stories of  
fewer birds in sight—chickens are hard to  
get, and geese not often seen.

Over-shooting seems to be the cause of  
the shortage. In the case of geese the  
spring shooting is believed to be largely  
responsible for the falling off, and the  
measure to guard against this depletion  
of the bird supply will probably be taken  
in the near future. The proposed amend-  
ments to the act will be brought before  
the legislature, it is understood, by one  
of the government members, and the  
seriousness of the situation is so evident  
that the effort to effect a remedy in this  
way will doubtless carry the house. Some  
interest is being shown, too, in the results  
of the new international treaty for pro-  
tection of migratory birds, as recently  
made between Canada and the United  
States.

Quite a different situation is reported  
in the case of the beaver supply. The  
protection given to the Canadian emble-  
m of industry some years ago was no effec-  
tive that the beaver population has been  
mounting ever since. There are now  
literally thousands of them in the Atha-  
basca and Peace River districts, and in  
smaller numbers they are spread over  
the rest of the province as well.

Permission to trap beaver, in view of  
this increasing supply has been given by  
an order in council just passed. It is a  
renewal of the special privilege allowed  
last year, when the Indians and settlers  
in the north country were allowed to kill  
out their winter's meat supply by hunt-  
ing the busy beavers within certain  
limits. The terms of the present order  
are that such trapping may be done only  
north of the 56th parallel, and by those  
not residents. It will therefore be out  
of the question for city sportsmen to go  
beaver-hunting, though they will have  
an opportunity to buy up the pelts at  
terwards. The open season for  
residents will be from December 15  
to March 10.

A dance is to be given tonight by  
the young men of Coleman in the  
Coleman opera house. It is in-  
tended to make such an event a  
regular event to take place about  
once a month, and it is also in-  
tended to devote the net proceeds to  
the funds of some charitable  
institution.

## Coleman Opera House

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## "Ten Nights in a Bar Room"

Temperance reform has swept Canada  
from coast to coast. An invisible, but  
all powerful wave of reform is passing  
through the land and leaving in its wake,  
a sense which will remain firm through  
many future generations.

What is more fitting than, at this  
period, that the stage should be used for  
the furthering of this good work? This  
question is answered in the announce-  
ment that the revived production of  
"Ten Nights in a Bar Room" will be  
presented here at the Blairmore Opera  
House on Thursday, November 16.

Though leading a strong, honest, the  
play is not devoid of the dramatic inter-  
est on that account. The plot deals with  
real characters. Men and women we  
have known are characterized. Thus,  
every line of the famous play is brought  
home to the audience with a stronger  
meaning, a more forceful feeling and  
purposeness than any other drama  
ever put on the stage.

Comedy too, plays a big part in this  
drama. On the whole, it should prove  
one of the best attractions on this ses-  
sion's list.

## Women Should Increase Production As a Pa- triotic Act

On a recent visit to Calgary, Sir Her-  
bert Ames, honorary secretary of the  
Canadian Patriotic Fund, made the follow-  
ing reply regarding the vexed question  
of how men dependents of the Fund  
shall be used who go to work and add to  
their income:

"When the war broke out, and there  
were many more women than there were  
jobs for women, we advised every woman  
eligible to take help and to abstain from  
work so that the jobs might be left to  
others who had to go to a living."

"Now that the director of national  
service has intimated that time has come  
for mobilizing the women of Canada,  
with a view to increasing production,  
we are advising young, strong and child-  
less women to form the patriotic fund  
and seek employment and help to in-  
crease the production of Canada as a  
patriotic act."

"We do not ask any woman who has  
a family of children and household re-  
sponsibilities to go to work. Her duty is at home.  
She is doing more for the state there,  
performing domestic duties, than any-  
where else."

"But the woman who has no domestic  
ties, who is young and strong and cap-  
able, should, we think, be happier in some  
employment than living a life of idleness."

"Generally when a woman gets casual  
employment for a day or two in the week  
the patriotic fund takes no cognizance in  
estimating the help she receives. But  
where a woman takes regular employ-  
ment and receives regular wages together  
with separation allowance and assign-  
ment of pay, the effect is to put her on a  
higher scale of work than if she had no  
work. Hence we think such a woman  
should voluntarily retire from the fund.  
So, if a woman earns \$10 a month, we  
take off \$5, and if she earns \$20 we take  
off \$10 from the patriotic fund. When  
she reaches a point where her earnings,  
the separation allowance and pay assign-  
ment brings her level, the payments from  
the patriotic fund cease."

"In view of the fact that Alberta is  
drawing so heavily on the national fund  
we would advise that wherever economies  
can be effected without hardship they  
should be made in order not to lead to  
criticism on the part of the subscribers.  
While making every endeavor to raise  
all that can be raised in Alberta, any  
endeavor towards reasonable economy  
would also be welcomed."

"Of course the patriotic fund must  
always try to steer the medium course  
between the Scylla of extravagance and  
the Charybdis of injustice. We accept

subscriptions by the thousands from  
wage-earners, people who have to make  
daily sacrifices in order to contribute.  
We cannot spend this money in a way  
that would be regarded as unnecessary  
or extravagant by the given.

"On the other hand, the fund exists,  
according to the act, of parliament for  
help in case of need. That doesn't mean  
that women must be starving to get as-  
sistance from the patriotic fund. It does  
mean that where the revenues of a  
soldier's wife are insufficient to come up  
to the scale of decent living the patriotic  
fund makes up the difference. Where  
that scale has already been reached no  
valid claim for assistance can be made on  
the patriotic fund."

Sir Herbert pointed out that the fund  
exists to help the patriotic fund. It does  
mean that where the revenues of a  
soldier's wife are insufficient to come up  
to the scale of decent living the patriotic  
fund makes up the difference. Where  
that scale has already been reached no  
valid claim for assistance can be made on  
the patriotic fund."

## Blairmore School Report

Following is the report of Blair-  
more public school for the month of  
October:

Total enrolment of school 201  
Grade I, Miss E. M. Foster—Num-  
ber of pupils enrolled 68, average  
attendance 47.5, percentage of at-  
tendance 81.59, lates 11. Perfect in  
attendance, Mary Sartoris, Bruno  
Fazio, Grace Louise, Steve Kro-  
nosky, Grace Joyce, Violet Sinclair,  
Robert Michel, Ralph Nauman,  
Charlie Joyce, Joe Krokosky, Peter  
Stewart, Josephine Peir, Arelia  
Chabillon, Dorothy Wellits.

Grades II and III, Miss V. J.  
Keith—Number of days room was  
open 15, number of pupils enrolled  
47, average attendance 43.28, per-  
centage of attendance 92.55. Perfect  
in attendance and punctuality, Jan-  
et Garrett, James Hucker, Freda Brown,  
Celia Handley, Dorothy Hinds, Irene  
Kafoury, Martha Boyd, Jessie Mc-  
Vey, Albert Thibadeau, Phil Chris-  
topher, Rachel Malino, Knis Bru-  
netto, Milda Boud, Louis Pozzi, Al-  
rick Tiberg, Dagmar Holms.

Grade IV and V, Miss K. B. Dar-  
rach—Number enrolled 44, days at-  
tendance 82.5, average attendance  
41.625, percentage of attendance  
94.00, lates 1. The following ob-  
tained 1st to 5th places:

Grade V—  
1. Margaret McLaren,  
2. Flora Warner,  
3. Arnold Veir (common and Denise  
Decoux),  
4. George Handley,  
5. Fred Michel and Jean Kemp.

Grade IV—  
1. Gophy Kubik, Louis Rosse and  
Tony Poggiali,  
2. Herbert Cowan.

3. Roland Pukney, Lydia Bu-  
netto and John Patten-on.  
4. Katherine Gibson and Evelyn  
Gibson.

5. Robert Thompson and George  
Maniquet.

Grades VI and VII, Miss E. M.  
Fullon—Number enrolled 38, aggre-  
gate days' attendance 728, average

attendance 80.4, percentage of at-  
tendance 95.78, lates 1. The follow-  
ing took highest marks:

Grade VII—Nellie McVey, Louise  
Germarier, Mitty Brunette, Mabel  
Kafoury.

Grade VI—George Kafoury, Be-  
atrice Hinds, Henrietta Robinson, Lil-  
lian Evans.

Grades VIII, IX, X and XI—  
Number enrolled 14, aggregate days'  
attendance 142.5, average attendance  
13.47, percentage of attendance 96.21,  
lates 5.

The following obtained the highest  
marks in their respective grades:

Grade VIII—Francis Gibson,  
Grade IX—Rhoda McLaren,  
Grade X—Hector McDonald,  
Grade XI—Jesse McDonald.

We wish to thank Dr. E. H. Gray  
for so generously awarding the fol-  
lowing medals:

Grade XI—A silver medal to the  
pupil who, at the end of the session  
of 1916-17, shall have taken the  
highest aggregate marks on the whole  
year's work in English composition,  
rhetoric and English literature.

Grade X—A silver medal to the  
pupil who, at the end of the session  
of 1916-17, shall have taken the  
highest aggregate marks on the  
whole year's work in elementary  
science. (For the purpose of this  
award, elementary science shall be  
understood as comprising physical  
geography, commercial geography,  
physics, botany and zoology.)  
Grade XI—A silver medal to the  
pupil who, at the end of the session  
of 1916-17, shall have taken the  
highest aggregate marks on the  
whole year's work in history.  
C. R. Pearson, Principal.

## Parcels For Prisoners Of War Must Be Strongly Packed

The Post Office Department has been  
officially notified by the British Post Office that  
many parcels sent from Canada to pris-  
oners of war in Germany are being re-  
ceived in London in a damaged con-  
dition, so that frequently they have to be  
repacked before they can be forwarded to  
the prisoners. The British Post Office adds that in no  
case the damage appears to be due to  
the fact that the parcels were in de-  
quately packed by the senders.

The public are warned, therefore, that  
parcels for prisoners of war, inasmuch as  
they are very strongly packed, will probably  
arrive in such a condition as to be of lit-  
tle or no use to the recipients.

Ordinary thin cardboard boxes, such  
as shoe boxes, etc., thin wooden boxes,  
should not be used; nor does a thin  
sheet of ordinary brown paper afford  
sufficient protection. Even where proper  
materials are used, it is important that  
the contents should be tightly packed so  
as not to shake about during transit.  
The following forms of packing are  
recommended:—

(1) Strong double cardboard or straw-  
board boxes. Those made of corrugated  
cardboard and having lids which com-  
pletely enclose the sides of the box are  
the most suitable.  
(2) Tin boxes such as are used for  
packing biscuits.  
(3) Strong wooden boxes.  
(4) Several folds of stout packing  
paper.

The British authorities advise that  
parcels for prisoners of war in Germany  
must be so packed in such a way as to  
be strong enough to withstand the  
causes, or any other suitable material.  
Pure is issued in Canada for the use of  
prisoners of war in Germany who have a  
been notified by the British Post Office that  
the contents should be tightly packed so  
as not to shake about during transit.  
The following forms of packing are  
recommended:—







good tea"







## OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

Mrs. Edgington leaves this week for her home in Ontario.

Prohibition has carried in the States of Michigan, Montana and Maryland.

H. Lambirth, of the Frank Meat Market, is opening a branch store at Hillcrest.

The miners of Springhill are asking for a thirty cent increase in pay.

James Smith is now looking after customers at the local mart of Cyr & Smith's.

Messrs. Link and Raut moved into their new quarters in the Pechen block on Wednesday.

Final returns from the U.S.A. elections are not yet in, but at the present count Wilson is somewhat in the lead.

Miss E. Crough has returned to Frank to resume her duties as teacher of the primary department at the Frank public school.

A false rumor was circulated this week, to the effect that Pte. D. Kemp had been wounded. Private Kemp is still in the pink of condition.

The regular meeting of the Blairmore council was held last night, and owing to the big batch of new business on hand, adjournment was made till tonight at 8 o'clock.

Blairmore auto owners availed themselves of the fine weather on Wednesday afternoon and took the patients of the Frank military hospital out for a spin as far as Lundbreck.

The opening social held by the Blairmore Social Club last night was attended by over sixty people, and a very interesting programme was rendered under the chairmanship of J. F. Hunter.

The Peninsular and Oriental line steamship, Arabia, carrying 487 passengers, has been sunk by a Hun submarine. All the passengers are believed to have been saved. The Arabia had a displacement of over 7,000 tons.

Soldiers recorded dead returning to re-married wives have caused so many domestic tragedies in France that there is a demand for an extension of the legal period of ten months, which a widow is compelled to wait after the death of her husband before marrying.

One thousand eight hundred and twenty merchant ships, with an aggregate gross tonnage of approximately 3,328,584 have been sunk by belligerent nations during 27 months of war ending November 1st. Norway lost the largest number of ships of 56—according to statistics, but their gross tonnage was only 57,333, as compared with Great Britain's total loss of 115,546 gross tonnage of 88 vessels destroyed.

Last week the police received instructions to more strictly enforce regulations against alien enemies which were put into effect September 30th. The regulations require that "all persons of enemy nationality, who have never been interned or paroled, and who are not naturalized British subjects, are to report to the nearest detachment of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police at once. Failure to comply with this order in council shall constitute an offence, punishable by summary conviction under Part 14 of the Criminal Code of Canada, by the imposition of a penalty of imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or a fine not exceeding \$500, or to both fine and imprisonment."

Thomas Holmboelt has been acquitted of the charge of murdering Frank Whiteside, M.L.A., at Coronation.

Two men were killed by the breaking of a cable in the shaft of the Adams mine at Cobalt on Saturday night.

Miss Lillian Thomas came down from Calgary this week, to accept a position as nurse at the Frank military hospital.

It is true that prohibition is with us; but if you want to get "plastered," read W. G. Fraser's ad on this page.

Mrs. Corpl. Powell arrived in Blairmore from Calgary this week, to join her husband, who is at the Frank military hospital.

It is announced by the customs of the U.S.A. that \$9,000,000 of the Deutschland's \$10,000,000 cargo is stocks and bonds.

Masked robbers blew up the safe of the Merchants bank at Okotoks on Friday night last, and got away with about \$7,000. So far no trace of the men have been found.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. C. W. Johnston has completed arrangements to have the famous pictures of the "Battled The Somme," "Murder of Edith Cavell," and others, produced in Blairmore and Bellevue in the very near future. The above pictures have been shown to thronging houses at Calgary and Edmonton for weeks past, and still we learn of hundreds of people who failed to gain admission at any time during that period. People of The Pass should not miss this opportunity of seeing pictures of the actual fighting on the Somme front, in which campaign thousands of brave Canadians have lost their lives, and where fighting still continues with practically unabated fury.

A number of internes, bound to the B.C. detention camp, passed through Blairmore on Tuesday morning.

The auditors were in town this week making out returns for the fiscal year ended October 31st, for presentation to the ratepayers.

The contract for renovating and decorating the store of the Leithbridge Brewing & Malting Co., at a meat market for H. G. Benson was secured by W. G. Fraser, of Frank.

Seven men were killed, six of them instantly, and three were injured when a heavy freight train ran away for ten miles on the new Portage branch of the Pennsylvania railway and crashed into four light locomotives standing at New Portage Junction on Monday.

The play "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," which is to appear at the Blairmore opera house on the night of Thursday next, will doubtless appeal to the theatre-goers of The Pass, and we look forward to a record house and a pleased audience on that occasion. The personnel of the company numbers ten, all capable artists who have spent years in the game on this and other continents.

At an anti church union meeting at Saskatoon a reverend doctor accused his opponents of lying, of stealing \$25,000, of attempted wholesale plunder of church property, of German nationalism, of tyranny and "Kaiserism," and of attempting to set up a despotic form of church government. Apart from these trifling matters it is understood the congregation in question will continue to abide in Christian fellowship with all lowliness and meekness, forbearing one another in love.—Vancouver World.

Miss Ethel Welsh, of the Union Bank of Canada, Cowley, spent Sunday last in town, the guest of Miss Purvie.

Sir George E. Foster, addressing the Montreal Canadian club, urged immediate preparations by business men to meet peace conditions.

It is said that Lieut. Col. Moffat, of the 137th battalion, will return from England and become director of recruiting in Alberta.

Rev. C. C. McLaurin, superintendent of Baptist missions for Alberta, will be in Blairmore on Sunday, the 26th, and will have charge of both services at Central Union church on that day.

A British submarine, operating in the North Sea, reports that she fired torpedoes at a German battleship of the dreadnought type, on Sunday, making a hit. The amount of damage inflicted is not known.

"Red" McDonald, who has been suffering from a fractured ankle since May last, is now able to be about, and is in town from Hillcrest on Monday. Red enlisted as a private with the 192nd, but was forced to remain behind.

Charles Collins, bus driver for W. R. Dobbie at Pincher Creek, appeared before Inspector Junger last week and was fined \$100 and costs or sixty days for having more booze than the law allowed him to possess. Collins paid the fine under protest.

Benson's meat market, at the postoffice corner, opened for business on Tuesday. This new store is one of the best located, brightest and neatest in The Pass, and we bespeak for Mr. Benson a goodly share of local patronage.

MAIL ORDER LIST  
For Alberta and Saskatchewan

NOTE THIS—Our service cannot be excelled, owing to our Warehouse and Bonded Warehouse being located only five miles from the Alberta boundary, consequently reducing freight and express charges very materially.

BRANDY		RUM	
Hennessey's XXX	Imp. Qt. Ord. Gr.	London Dock Jamaica	Imp. Qt. Ord. Gr.
Hartman's Fine Freres	1.75	Fine Old Jamaica	1.75
James Watson & Co.	1.50	Drift Jamaica	1.50
James Watson & Co.	1.50	Navy Reserve Jamaica	1.50
Hartman's Fine Freres	1.50	Rum	1.50
James Watson & Co.	1.50	Deutsche Rum	1.50
Hartman's Fine Freres	1.50	CLARETS	
James Watson & Co.	1.50	Imp. Qt. Ord. Gr.	
Hartman's Fine Freres	1.50	J. Diderot & Co.	
James Watson & Co.	1.50	Chateau d'Yquem	
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James Watson & Co.	1.50	Pointe d'Yquem	
Hartman's Fine Freres	1.50	CHAMPAGNES, ETC.	
James Watson & Co.	1.50	Hummel's Extra Dry, Flute	
Hartman's Fine Freres	1.50	Rosa de Marnet Grand	
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